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SUBJECT: PARAGUAYAN AMBASSADOR ASKS ABOUT PL 480, TITLE I

1. PARAGUAYAN AMBASSADOR TO US SOLANO LOPEZ, IN AN IN-
FORMAL APPROACH AUGUST 27, REQUESTED BACKGROUND INFORMATION
ON TITLE I SITUATION AND DECISION PROCESS PREPARATORY TO
MAKING A FORMAL APPROACH TO DEPT. THE AMBASSADOR HAD
RECEIVED A TELEGRAM FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ADVISING HIM
THAT THE GOP HAD NOT YET RECEIVED A DEFINITIVE RESPONSE TO
ITS OCTOBER 1972 REQUEST FOR A TITLE I PROGRAM OF 35,000
TONS OF WHEAT AND INSTRUCTING HIM TO EMPHASIZE TO USG
AUTHORITIES THE IMPORTANCE TO PARAGUAY OF RECEIVING AN
EARLY AFFIRMATIVE REPLY TO ITS REQUEST.

2. THE AMBASSADOR WAS INFORMED IN GENERAL TERMS OF THE
MAGNITUDE OF THE WHEAT SUPPLY PROBLEM AND THE NECESSITY FOR
US TO ESTABLISH PRIORITIES FOR ALLOCATING LIMITED AVAIL-
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ABILITIES. HE WAS TOLD THAT PARAGUAY HAD BEEN INCLUDED

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ON TENTATIVE ALLOCATION LISTS, BUT THAT ITS NEEDS, ALTHOUGH SERIOUS, WERE NOT AS CRUCIAL AS MANY OTHER COUNTRIES AND WAS THEREFORE NOT HIGH ON THE PRIORITY LIST. FINAL DECISIONS HAVE NOT YET BEEN MADE AND THAT EXPLAINS WHY THE GOP HAS NOT YET RECEIVED A RESPONSE. THE AMBASSADOR WAS

INFORMED THAT THE GOP SHOULD NOT ANTICIPATE ANY TITLE I WHEAT IN THIS CALENDAR YEAR EVEN IF PARAGUAY WERE TO BE INCLUDED IN THE FINAL FY 1974 PROGRAM, AND EVEN THE LATTER SEEMED VERY REMOTE. UNLESS THE WORLD SUPPLY SITUATION IMPROVED DRAMATICALLY. ROGERS

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